

Milwaukee County

Supervisor Peggy Romo West, 12th District

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SUP. WEST AT BASURA BASH AND PARK UNVEILING THIS WEEKEND

Milwaukee, WI – Supervisor Peggy Romo West is participating in two events this weekend in and around the 12th District.

Basura Bash is Saturday June 4th from 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at Clarke Square Park, 2230 W. Vieau Place. Supervisor West is co-sponsoring this year's event and serving as Volunteer Coordinator. Volunteers are asked to meet at 10 a.m. to help clean up the neighborhood. Volunteers will then meet back at Clarke Square Park at noon for a Fiesta and Resource Fair until 3 p.m.

"Nothing deters crime, increases commerce and brings neighbors together like a clean, safe community," Supervisor West said. "We will be removing graffiti, picking up garbage, numbering garages & planting flowers to beautify the neighborhood."

Basura Bash is produced cooperation with Milwaukee County, Safe & Sound, Keep Greater Milwaukee Beautiful and the City of Milwaukee Department of Neighborhood Services.

Supervisor West will also speak at **Urban Anthropology's Park Unveiling Ceremony**, set for Sunday, June 5th at 12:30 P.M at Kosciuszko Park, located at the corner of S. 7th Street and W. Lincoln Avenue. The park features 13 new trees from park neighborhood residents dedicated to their ancestors, a new Youth Art Pillar on the cultural history of the park neighborhoods, a new "Native Couple" art bench by area artist Juan Flores, and new Victorian Gardens encompassing the Kosciuszko Monument.

"Urban Anthropology has done wonders for this neighborhood, and I am pleased to attend and show my support," said Supervisor West. "The park enhancements are striking. I thank the many dedicated volunteers and donors who made these improvements possible."